

REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of this application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

Claim Status

Claims 1-20 are pending. Claims 1-3 and 5-12 are allowed. Claims 4, 13, 16 and 18 were amended. Claims 14, 15, 19 and 20 are withdrawn. Claim 17 is canceled. No new matter was added.

Applicant acknowledges and appreciates the allowance of claims 1-3 and 5-12 by the Examiner.

35 USC §112

Claims 13 and 16-18 stand rejected under 35 USC §112, second paragraph as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention. Applicant traverses.

Claims 13, 16 and 18 have each been amended to depend from claim 2 which provides sufficient antecedent basis for the limitation "the product obtained by crystallization." Based on the amendments and the information outlined above, Applicant respectfully requests that the rejection be removed and the claims allowed.

Claims 16-18 stand rejected under 35 USC §112, second paragraph as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention. Applicant traverses.

Claim 16 has been amended to incorporate the language of claim 17 and the reference to "Form A" has been removed thereby more clearly defining which crystalline form is being claimed. Claim 18 has been amended to remove the reference to "Form B" thereby more clearly defining which crystalline form is being claimed. Based on the amendments and the information outlined above, Applicant respectfully requests that the rejection be removed and the claims allowed.

Claim 4 stands rejected under 35 USC §112, second paragraph as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention. Applicant traverses.

Claim 4 has been amended to remove the phrase "for example" as suggested by the Examiner. Based on the amendment and the information outlined above, Applicant respectfully requests that the rejection be removed and the claim allowed.

An early Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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